British Industry Faces Crisis in After War Adjustment.

Workers Refuse to Accept Wage Cut Till Prices Fall.

First Skirmish of Big Battle To Be on Railways.

Joint Drop of Living and Wage May Be Compromise.

London, Jan. 22.-Great Britain is

to maintain the high wartime wages. Hament.

Capital is contending that a start must be made toward pre-war wages on the industrial trouble." ground that prices are falling and that Jreat Britain will be unable to com-pete industrially with countries where wages are lower.

Others will have to be reduced eithe Labor Says Prices First.

John Clynes, labor member of par-liament, said:
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"I have no hesitation in saying that labor will reject any proposal for a general reduction in wages with the object of lowering prices. There is much to be said for a joint movement to reduce profits and wages simultaneously, but the laborites will refuse to make the first move."

Sir Peter Rylands, president of the Federation of British Industries, declared that it will be impossible for Great Britain to compete with Germany and Belgium, where wages are only half what they are here or with the United States where wages are already decreasing. already decreasing.

Trouble Is Expected. "I regard reduced wages as inevi-table," he said. "We are not planning any attack upon wages but they must come down if industry is to be con-

London, Jan. 22.—Great Britain is on the verge of a new struggle between capital and labor.

The initial skirmishing already is under way over the vital question of reducing wages. Labor is attempting to maintain the high wartime wages.

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The new standard of comfort for the workers, which is considerably above that which existed before the war, must become fixed before anyone talks of reducing wages," said John Ward another labor member of particular to maintain the high wartime wages.

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Reduction Is Inevitable.

"A world-wide fall in wages is inevitable," declared Lord Askwith, the foremost British authority on industrial conditions. "Prices are falling anad will continue to fall. It is obvious that wages, which were raised as a result of the increased cost of living, must fall simultaneously, as wages are a factor in the cost of production. Their fall will further depress prices and lower the cost of living. "Some of our industries, like those of railway and government employes, are arranged on a sliding scale. They must be among the first to go down.

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Mrs. Arthur O. Choate of New York Re-elected president of Council. Choate of New York was re-elected president content of the National Council of the National Council of Girls' Scouts today, which action marked the close of the seventh annual convention of the organization to full swing, he arranged even before nual convention of the organization. Other officers chosen included Vice President Herbert Hoover. Mrs. Juliation in the cost of living. Other officers chosen included Vice President Herbert Hoover. Mrs. Juliation in the cost of living. Other officers chosen included Vice President Herbert Hoover. Mrs. Juliation in the cost of living. Other officers chosen included Vice President Herbert Hoover. Mrs. Juliation in the cost of living. Other officers chosen included Vice President Herbert Hoover. Mrs. Juliation in the cost of living. Other officers chosen included Vice President Vice President Vice President America, is to serve on the executive board. Announcement was made that Mrs. Warren G. Harding will be chosen as honory president to succeed Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

The delicate situation existing over the cost of living in the cost of living in the south, he intends to accept no invitations to public functions.

Boy May Have Been Cause of Flurry of Detectives.

Window in His Car Shattered

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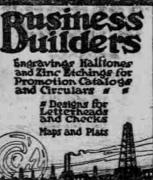
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the cabinet is causing Harding some concern, it was understood today. Pressure from Republican senate leaders against certain of Harding's cabinet preferences has brought the president elect near the point where he must choose between his own wishes and those of the senators.

Backward in Requests.

Hughes His Favorite. The difference which has in no way marred friendly personal feelings is chiefly over Charles E. Hughes and

En Route South.

GOES INTO SECLUSION NOW

President-elect at St. Augustine
Puts Ban on Functions.

Will Give Whole Time to Golf
and His Cabinet.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 22.—A window in President-elect Harding's private car was shattered during the night by a stone thrown by some one standing beside the track as the train passed.

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St. Augustine, Jan. 22.—A program

Marred friendly personal feelings is chiefly over Charles E. Hughes and Charles G. Dawes. Harding had been understood for some time to favor Hughes, for secretary of state, and Dawes for secretary of state because for his experience with foreign affairs and his familiarity with the senate, having served one term in that body. Opposition to Dawes arose when he became active in favor of reappointing John Skelton Williams, a Democrat, comproduct the torney general to permit Root to become secretary of state is not faborcome secretary of state is not favor. It was understood there is a possibility, it is said, that Harding will insist upon Hughes, but will accept A. W. Mellon of Pittsburgh for the treasury place in place of Dawes, who would be made governor of the federal reserve board.

Educators Adjourn State Meeting in Topeka Today.

Debate Over Plan to Divorce

Four men and one woman who were formerly county superintendents of instruction in Jackson county, and have since held, or are now holding positions in the educational system of the state, attended the meeting of the educational council in Topeka. The men are: G. B. Whitecraft, how city superintendent at Osage City; George W. Allen, assistant state superinendent, men; W. E. Scneder, later chief clerk

United States was 10 degrees at Huron, S. D.

The highest temperature ever recorded in Topeka on this date was 66 degrees. Firsts, 51/46070/4c; ordinary firsts, 51/46070/4c

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DONT SCRIMP ON THE SCHOOLS Legislators Hear Pica at Annual Banquet of Educators Here.

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More Than 4 Millions Alone Wanted for Buildings.

SOLONS ON AN INVESTIGATION

Tour by Committees Over State Today and Sunday.

Large Portion of Appropriations From State Schools.

State institutions want \$4,321,347 for next blennium, according to a budget institutions as asked in the budgets reach \$8,624,970 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, and \$7,911,425

for 1923.

Many of the legislative members are spending the week-end at state institutions. Regular committees and sub-committees are making the biennial inspections on which they will base judgment as to various conditions and needs. Delegations are today visiting the state university at Lawrence and the state agricultural college at Manhe state agricultural college at Man-

State School Demands

PROMINENT EDUCATORS ATTEND the state Friday night was 26 degrees at Goodland, and the lowest in the United States was 10 degrees at Huron, S. D.

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Jan, 22.-WHEAT-Offerings of There was a general rush of short covering, and commission house buying at the outset while on the bulge there was some selling attributed to the same interest that has been credited with selling freely for some days past. A report from central illinois told of considerable sales of the cereal there yesterday. Initial quotations which varied from it lower to it higher with March \$1.64½ to \$1.63½ and May \$1.54 to \$1.50 were followed by rallies all around.

The market fluctuated considerably and at the close averaged higher, due to continued short covering and buying by houses with export connections, the latter removing bedges against sales abrond. At the finish, wheat ranged from 1% to \$1.67½ and May \$1.57½ to \$1.65%.

CORN—Corn was in demand by commission houses but only part of the orders were filled. After starting %c lower to %c higher, including May at 67% to 67%c, the market scored a slight general advance.

Corn and oats were in sympathy with wheat, each scoring material gains. At the close corn showed a net advance of %c to 2c over yesterday's finals, with May at 68%c to 63%.

OATS—Ont; were dull. Opening quotations, which were unchanged to 1%c higher, including May at 44%c to 44%c, declined slightly, then recovered part of the loss.

Oats were up %c to 5c with May 44%c PROVISIONS—Higher prices on hogs gave strength to provisions.

(Range of prices on grain futures of the Chicago Board of Trade, as reported by The Empire Commission Co., 301 Nev England Bidg.

behate Over Plan to Divorce
County Heads From Politics.

A further manifestation of the dealer of Kansas educators to keep as much of the system as possible out of politics came in an address delivered before the educational council Friday afternoon by W. D. Ross of the Kansas state Normal school at Emporia, who urged the appointment of by the state solucitions are the big by the state solucitions and department of by the state educational department, instead of their election, and vast increases in the powers and reductional to the medical school at Emporia, who urged the appointment of by the state educational department, instead of their election, and vast increases in the powers and reductional superincinents would be preasing the counties.

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POULTRY-Market unchanged.

Chicago, Jan. 22—BUTTER—Market low-er. Creamery extras, 45c; standards, 45c. EGGS—Market lower. Receipts 7.544 cases. Firsts, 511/46574c; ordinary firsts, 546 Ec; at mark cases included, 50/457c. POULTRY—Alive, lower; fowls, 28c; springs, 29c.

New York Produce Market.

New York, Jan. 22.—BUTTER—Market weak. Firsts, 426440c.
EGGS—Market barely steady. Firsts, 65 (200c.
CHEESE—Market steady. Whole milk, flats, specials, 266220c.
POULTRY—Alive, not quoted.

New York Sugar Market. New York Jan. 22.—SUGAR—Raw, un-changed; contrifugal, 5.39; refined, un-changed; fine granulated; 7.79.

New York Liberty Bond Market, New York, Jan. 22.—Liberty bonds close: 3½'s 92.10; first 4'a, 87.80; second 4'a, 88.00; first 4'a, 88.00; second 4'a, 87.04; third 4'a', 81.00; fourth 4'a', 88.26; Victory 3'a's, 97.20; Victory 4'a's, 97.20.

ATTACKED BY INSANE MAID.

Hutchinson Woman Beaten, Slashed
With Knife and Held Prisoner.

Hutchinson, Kan., Jan. 21.—Mrs. J.
H. Elward. 76, today is recovering from knife wounds and a beating she says were inflicted by her maid, Rose carrey, who suddenly became crazed.

The aged woman said after the maid had slashed her with a butcher knife and beat her and held her prisoner for three hours the servant's rhind seemed to clear and she called the police and told them what she thad done.

REWARDS BANDIT SLAYER.

Kansas City Jan. 21.—Matthew Clarkin, jr., a motorcycle patrolman who last Saturday frustrated an attempt to rob the Eastside bank here and killed one of the bandits, was a warded \$500 by the Association of awarded \$500 by the Associati

Kansas City Weekly Livestock Market,
Kansas City Stock Yards, Jan. 21.
LIVESTOCK PRICES LOWER FOR
WEEK.

BIG DECLINE IN CATTLE. BIG DECLINE IN CATTLE.

Livestock prices this week came in for a sharp decline. Hogs rose, to the 10 cent level but broke sharply in the past two days and closed with a net loss. Cattle sagged from the outset and closed 25 cents to 31 net lower on fat grades and about stendy on stockers and feeders. Sheep and lambs were higher early in the week tho the gain-was lost later.

THIS WEEK'S RECEIPTS.

Receipts this week were 42 100 cattle 3825.

sheep a year ago.
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An excessive supply of fat cattle in Chicago this week set the cattle market down to the lowest level of the senson. Declines were severe, greater in Chicago than elsewhere. Here most of the fed steers were for cents lower, tho some common steers were off only 25 cents. Heavy grades declined more than the light and handy weight kinds. Cows and helfers were down so cents. The top price for steers was \$5.75 and bulk of sales \$7.50 to \$9. Fat cows brought \$5 to \$7.50 and helfers \$5.50 to \$8.50. Veni calvas sold at \$7 to \$12.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

Early in the week under active demand prices for stockers and feeders advanced 50 cents. In the past two days there was a decrease in the outlet and the market closed stendy with a week ago. The top price for feeders was \$9.55, and bulk of the thin steers gold at \$7.25 to \$8.25.

HOGS.

In the first three days of this week hog prices came in for a material advance. Westnesday a number of sales of choice medium and light waight grades were reported at \$10, and the bulk of the sales \$0.00 to \$0.90. In the past two days a drop of \$5 to \$0.00 cents was recovied and foday the top price was \$9.10, and buik \$8.75 to \$0.00 chicago received over half the hogs that arrived at the five western markets during the week, and if runs were more evenly distributed the market would show a better tone. Pigs on the close sold at \$8.75 to \$9.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS. SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Early in the week sheep and lambs were 25 to 50 cents higher, best lambs selling up to \$11. A sharp break in eastern markets turned prices here back to slightly lower than last week's closing level. Final quotations for fat lambs were \$9.75 to \$10.50, ewe \$4.50 to \$5.15, and yearlings \$8 to \$8.15.

HORSES AND MULES.

Trade in horses and mules showed con-

Trade in horses and mules showed con-iderable activity. Some 500 head were disposed of. Prices were quoted higher than in December.

Chleago Weekly Grain and Provisions.

Chleago, Jan. 22—Severe declines in the wheat market this week have been accompanied by much talk of exporters trying to re-sell and about untoward business conditions in Europe. Compared with a week ago, wheat this morning was down 12% to 15% bushed; corn lower, 6% to 6%c, onts off to to 4%c and provisions the to 80c.

Bears obtained control of the wheat market chiefly after gossip became current that italy had cancelled some of her contracts for wheat bought in the United States, Notwithstanding assertions, that the amounts were small, belief spread that European reselling might be a big factor if Argentine began to ship feely.

Big receipts of corn exercised a bearish influence on the corn market and upon outs as well. Both cereals touched the lowest prices since 1916.

Provisions weakened in line with grain and hogs.

Toucks Pouliry and Eggs.

Topeka Poultry and Eggs (Market quotations, January 22, 1921, by Premium Poultry Products Co., 210 North Kansas avenue, Topeka, Kan.)
The poultry market continues easy with receipts showing an increase in volume. Prices at Topeka remain unchanged.
The egg market is atendy and indications are that the present prices will continue for a few days. The wet weather and anudly to conditions of the past few days have been

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Support than yesterciay's average; some held off market closing, slow; top, 50.55 for 160 pound offerings; bulk of sales, 15c and over, 25c per lb. Springs, 24c per lb. Staggy young roosters, 25c per lb. Leg. 25c per lb. Springs, 24c per lb. SHEEP—Receipts 2,000. Compared with a week ago: Handy weight lambs, 75c lower; weighty iambs, about steady; year, lings, 50c lower; feeder lambs, steady to 25c lower.

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Topeka Poultry Market (Furnished by the Topeka Packing Co., corner Laurent and Madison sts., Topeka, Kansas,)

Hens, 4 lbs. and over, 27c; under 4 lbs., 22c; springs over 2 lbs., 24c; old roosters, 15c; stags, 22c.

Topeka Cash Grain Market.

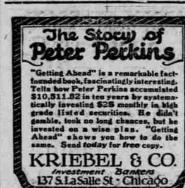
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Topeka, Kan., Jan. 22.

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